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10 Ministers to be sworn-in tomorrow at 10.30 am

Bengaluru,Feb.5 (KMS,DM&BCT)- A wave of dissatisfaction has hit the six-month-old BJP Government against the backdrop of Chief Minister B.S. Yediyurappa's announcement to induct 13 aspirants in the second Cabinet expansion on Feb. 6 (tomorrow).

Owing to discontentment, only 10 or 12 Ministers will be inducted to the Cabinet by Governor Vajubhai Rudabhai Vala, who will administer the oath of office and secrecy to the new members who will join the Council of Ministers inside the Glass House of Raj Bhavan at 10.30 am.

In the first Cabinet expansion, the CM had inducted 17 Ministers on Aug. 20, 2019. Latest reports from Bengaluru say that only 10 or 12 Ministers (including those who defected to BJP from Congress and JD-S and have been re-elected) will be inducted tomorrow as several senior BJP leaders are miffed at not finding a place in the Cabinet.

B.S. Yediyurappa

Yediyurappa is finding it increasingly difficult to keep all his party MLAs united in the run-up to the Cabinet expansion. Several senior leaders have expressed dissatisfaction over the sidelining of loyal and able party leaders. As such, Union Home Minister Amit Shah is learnt to have advised the CM to only induct 10 Ministers tomorrow to at least please those who have 'sacrificed' for the BJP's cause.

While 10 out of the 11 turncoat MLAs, barring Athani MLA Mahesh Kumthalli, who were elected in the by-polls held on Dec.5 last are certain to make it into the Cabinet, two senior party MLAs Umesh Katti from Belagavi district and Aravind Limbavali from Bengaluru too are likely to find berths.

Apart from this, speculations are also doing the rounds that multiple-time BJP MLA S.S. Angara of Sullia, Haladi Srinivas Shetty of Kundapur and Halappa Achar of Yelburga (Koppal) too may make it into the Cabinet in the last minute.

The 10 newly-elected MLAs, who are certain to find Cabinet berths are: S.T. Somashekar (Yeshwantpur), Gopalaiah (Mahalakshmi Layout), Byrathi Basavaraj (K.R. Puram), Dr. K. Sudhakar (Chikkaballapura), Shrimant Patil (Kagwad), Shivaram Hebbar (Yellapura), Ramesh Jarkiholi (Gokak), B.C. Patil (Hirekerur), Anand Singh (Vijayanagar-Hospet) and K.C. Narayanagowda (K.R. Pet).

(See MINISTERS on page 8)

Ram Mandir Trust formed

Prime Minister Modi announces in Lok Sabha that the Trust has been named 'Shri Ram Janmabhoomi Teerth Kshetra'

New Delhi, Feb. 5 (UNI)- Prime Minister Narendra Modi announced in Parliament this morning the formation of a Trust for the construction of a Ram Temple in Ayodhya as directed by the Supreme Court in its landmark verdict in the Ram Janmabhoomi-Babri Masjid case last November.

"I am happy to announce that in the Cabinet meeting today morning, we took significant decisions on the Ayodhya Trust. As per the orders of the Supreme Court, we have set up a Trust. Shri Ram Janmabhoomi Teerth Kshetra will be the name of the Trust. It will be an independent body," Modi said.

"In India, everyone is a part of one "broad family", be it Hindus, Muslims, Sikhs, Christians, Buddhists, Parsis or Jains," Modi said. "We have taken another big step for Ram Mandir pilgrims. We are allocating over 67 acres of land near the Mandir area to the Trust," he added.

Union Home Minister Amit Shah said the Trust would comprise 15 members, including a Dalit representative who would be in-charge of the entire 67-acre land. In keeping with the rest of the SC order, the Yogi Adityanath Government in Uttar Pradesh has allotted five acres of land to the Sunni Central Waqf Board to build a Mosque in Ayodhya.

In its historic judgement on Nov. 9, the Supreme Court had directed the Central Government to formulate a scheme with necessary provisions for the setting up of a Trust with a Board of Trustees or any other appropriate body, the functioning of the Trust, the powers of the Trustees, transfer of land to the Trust and all necessary, incidental and supplemental matters.

In its verdict, the Supreme Court had paved the way for the construction of a Ram Temple by a Trust at the disputed site at Ayodhya, and directed the Centre to allot an alternative 5-acre plot to the Sunni Waqf Board for building a new Mosque at a "prominent" place in the holy town in Uttar Pradesh.

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Mysuru, Wednesday 5th February 2020

Delight and Disgust

The merits and demerits of the consequences of both *vision* and *mission* are evaluated by people in general and pundits in particular mostly by hindsight. The script of India's much glorified Constitution owes it to the vision of its writers while the subsequent happenings have been the mission of the successive Governments both at the Centre and in the States and Union Territories in the form of their measures, unarguably causing delight to some sections in the population and disappointment, expressed as disgust to many other sections. Knowledge of the level of rocket science is not needed to be clear about the identity and profile of these two sections, portraying one aspect of the land's diversity, hurting its stability, if not *unity*, which has got fractured due to various factors, particularly the sway of politicos whose spokespersons are preoccupied wholetime making public speeches that impress only their gullible hirelings, whose number is rising to appalling proportions, majority being the country's youth.

The defence of various measures, introduced as Acts and Amendments to the Constitution by the top brass in administration is marked by the claims to *correcting* some of the *wrongs* of the past, invoking the land's chequered history. One of the wrongs, namely *unbecoming* conduct by one section of the past generations towards the other section, dictated by social hierarchy, was focussed upon in the vision of the then Constitution writers.

The desire to have an assured livelihood and also a reasonably comfortable life in happy and peaceful ambience cannot be denied to anybody. Digging into the pages of history, the unmistakable impression one gets is that the people of past generations created an unsavoury scenario by hogging opportunities for both livelihood and life's happiness by virtue of their lineage in particular and other factors in general, unarguably a monumental wrong. The policy, as decided by the authors of the Constitution seven decades ago, of correcting that wrong, amounts to putting the clock back as it were. The *intent* of the policy has its unquestionable merit, but the measures based on that noble policy seem to be wanting in finesse.

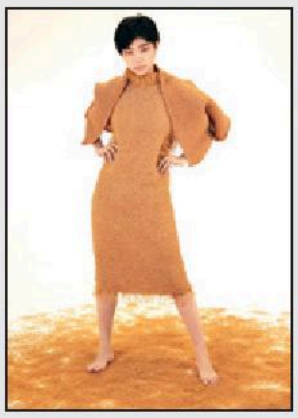
One cannot be faulted to draw an analogy to the aforementioned wrong by people of past generations, namely the ancestors of people following a certain faith committing atrocious acts while ruling the land for nearly two centuries. At the end of the day, the mission of correcting *past* wrongs based on vision of the Constitution writers is a matter of delight for one section and disgust to the rest.

EDITOR'S BOTTOMLINE

Many years ago, my uncle, Madhubhai, hosted a party to mark a very special occasion: he was the first person in the extended Suraiya family in Calcutta to have got himself a passport. In those far-off days, when India was screened off from the outside world by a khadi curtain of austerity, a passport, required for foreign travel, was a treasured rarity, and Madhubhai's newly acquired trophy was passed around from hand to hand, among oohs! and aahs! of wonderment and awe. A lot has changed since those distant days, and now passports have become commonplace, being the equivalent of a dime a dozen. However, if nowadays people wouldn't throw a party because they've got a passport, the new Indian passport might well be playing host to a party — a party not in the sense of a social gathering, but a political party. The new passport reportedly features a lotus, which is the symbol of the BJP. An official spokesperson has denied any political significance in the new design, which is claimed to be an added security measure, and said that the lotus has been used as it is the country's national flower. *— Jug Suraiya in The Times of India*

NEWS SPARKLERS

Student creates dresses made from rubber bands



Tokyo: Looking at the garments made by Rie Sakamoto, a graduating art student, one would be tempted to think they are made of brown yarn, but the fact is, the garments are made of knitted rubber bands.

Rie Sakamoto of Tama Art University in Tokyo this year decided to focus on the humble but versatile rubber band for her thesis. Sakamoto said that her project was inspired by the realization that the rubber band has so many more uses than immediately meets the eye. Apart from its functional qualities, the beauty of the material was particularly impressive, so she set out to emphasize it in a completely original way. The young art student's "Rubber Collection" was on display in Tokyo as part of a group exhibition of graduating seniors last month, and her rubbery clothes got a lot of attention.

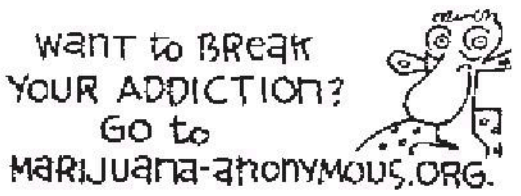
Cash prize for removing tyre from crocodile's neck

Palu: Indonesian officials are offering a monetary reward to whoever manages to remove a motorcycle tyre from the neck of a 13-foot-long crocodile.

The full-grown crocodile has reportedly been wearing the tire around its neck since 2016, but authorities in Palu, the capital of Central Sulawesi, are worried that it may end up strangling the reptile, so they are turning to the public for help. In 2018, conservationist and "animal whisperer" Muhammad Panji tried to remove the tire, and later that year the local conservation office tried luring the 4-meter-long crocodile with food. Both attempts proved unsuccessful so Palu officials are now hoping that brave locals can do the impossible for an unspecified cash prize.

HEALTH CAPSULE by Bron Smith

Is marijuana addictive?



Marijuana doesn't have the addiction potential found in "hard" drugs, but the more a person uses marijuana, the more likely they are to develop an addiction to it. Individuals who began using marijuana at an early age are the most likely to become marijuana addicts as adults.

** Health Capsules is not intended to be of a diagnostic nature.*

Malabar Gold & Diamonds' advance booking programme

Mysuru, Feb.5- As per Government of India's decision, jewellery retailers in every nook and corner of India will have to compulsorily sell only hallmarked gold in the market from January 1, 2021. Hallmarking came into effect in the country about 20 years ago. Since then, Malabar Gold and Diamonds has been selling only hallmarked jewellery.

Old gold in the hands of customers irrespective of from which jewellery they bought them and either it is hallmarked or not can be sold or exchanged in Malabar Gold & Diamonds showrooms. Old gold ornaments valued by modern carat analyser can be sold or exchanged based on every day price of the gold at Malabar Gold & Diamonds showrooms.

"Gold prices are changing every day. International gold prices are determined by the change in the exchange rate of US dollar. Here also prices are set accordingly. Gold prices in India changes in tandem with changes in international gold prices. To escape from gold price volatility customers can book wedding jewellery from Malabar Gold & Diamonds through its advance booking programme. If a customer books the gold through the advance booking window, then he can buy gold at the price at the date of booking or the buying date, whichever is lesser," said Malabar Gold & Diamonds Chairman M.P. Ahammed.

Besides Malabar Gold & Diamonds also offers free insurance cover for one year, buy back guarantee, zero deduction charge for gold exchange and transparency and other services to its customers, according to a press release from Huzail, Manager-Marketing, Malabar Gold Pvt. Ltd.

Really...?

- *Eleven percent of people are left handed.*
- *August has the highest percentage of births.*
- *Unless food is mixed with saliva you can't taste it.*
- *The average person falls asleep in 7 minutes.*
- *An ostrich's eye is bigger than its brain.*
- *Lemons contain more sugar than strawberries.*
- *Eight percent of people have an extra rib.*

LAUGHTER THE BEST MEDICINE

Science teacher:
How fast does light travel?

Student: I don't know, teacher, but it gets here too early in the morning!!

Today's Currency Rate

1 US Dollar	= Rs. 71.20
1 UK Pound	= Rs. 92.70
1 UAE Dirham	= Rs. 19.38
1 Euro	= Rs. 78.58

VOICE OF THE READER

Encroachment of public parking space

Sir,

This has been the daily woes of shopkeepers and public who come to the Merchants Bank in Santhepet on Jaganmohan Palace Main Road.

Most of the private vehicles are parked there for the entire day causing inconvenience to the general public who come to buy groceries or for shopping or banking purpose.

I request the authorities concerned to take measures so that public space is not encroached.

If you go around the city, you will notice that the operators and owners of these Rental Bikes are doing their business on public property or in front of the shopping centres or along the side of footpaths. Is the MCC aware of this?

— A concerned citizen
Mysuru
1.2.2020

Woes galore at Panchavati Circle

Sir,

Kalidasa Road is one of the busy roads in Mysuru. It has become a commercial hub due to which vehicular traffic has also increased unnaturally. People throng all the way from Mathru Mandali Circle through Kalidasa Road up to Dejagow (Kuvempu Trust) Circle.

The problems start at Panchavati Circle. Signal lights have started working now to ease the traffic, but only for vehicular traffic! There are no signal lights for crossing for pedestrians. Obviously, it is not only difficult but too dangerous to cross, especially for senior citizens and children. Vehicles zoom past without heeding the pedestrians.

Problems do not stop here; there is no space to stand and wait at the corners for vehicles to pass. As there is no sufficient space, people have to stand almost on the road itself. Also, there is no semblance of footpath from this Circle upto Dejagow Circle. People have to walk on the Road as vehicles move.

This state of affairs exists since many years with no solution. Can the authorities look into this and take immediate measures?

—Dr. Ashok Satpute
Mysuru
31.1.2020

SC,ST grievances meet

Mysuru, Feb. 5- The Scheduled Caste Welfare Department and Justice H.N. Nagamohan Das Commission will hear the grievances of SC and ST leaders and organisations at Kalamandira here on Feb. 10 at 10.30 am.

Registrations should be done at the designated counter one hour before the commencement of the programme, according to a press release.

CESC public grievances meet tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb.5- In an effort to address the grievances of power consumers, CESC (Chamundeshwari Electricity Supply Corporation) will be conducting a public contact programme at Hootagalli CESC Office at 11 am tomorrow (Feb.6) and at V.V. Mohalla CESC Office at 3 pm tomorrow (Feb.6). For more details, call Ph:0821-2416380 or 2416007.

Power disruption tomorrow

Due to emergency maintenance works being taken up on 11KV R.K. Nagar power transmission line, there will be disruption of power in the following areas between 10 am and 6 pm tomorrow (Feb.6): DVC Layout, 'A' 'B' Block, Aniketana Road, areas around Somanna Park, behind Kamakshi Hospital, areas around Judicial Quarters, New Kantharaj Urs Road, Saraswathipuram 8th Main, K.G. Koppal, Vishwamanava Double Road, Mythri Apartment and surrounding areas, according to a CESC press release.

Recruitment of First Division Assistants: Applications invited

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (US)- Karnataka Public Service Commission (KPSC) will be filling up 1,112 posts of First Division Assistants (FDAs) in various Government Departments and another 137 posts of FDAs in Hyderabad-Karnataka region.

Candidates can submit applications from tomorrow with the last date being Mar. 6. Last date to pay examination fee is Mar. 7.

For more details visit *www.ksp.gov.in* or contact the Mysore University Competitive Examination Centre, Maharaja's College Centenary Hall or Negilayogi Vidyavardhaka Competitive Examination Centre on Seshadri Iyer Road between 10 am and 5.30 pm or call Mob: 91644-98877 or 96862-53030 or 97311-39407 or 82775-20042, according to a press release.

Register for skill evaluation

Mysuru, Feb. 5- The State Government has invited entries from candidates in the age group of 18 to 35 years with qualification from SSLC to PG degree (other than BE) for registration for skill evaluation via *www.kaushalkar.com.*

Registration can also be done tomorrow at Government First Grade College (FGC) in K.R. Nagar; on Feb. 7 at Government FGC in Nanjangud; on Feb. 10 at Government FGC in T. Narasipur; on Feb. 11 at Government FGC in Periyapatna and on Feb. 13 at Government ITI College in Mysuru, according to a press release from the Deputy Commissioner.

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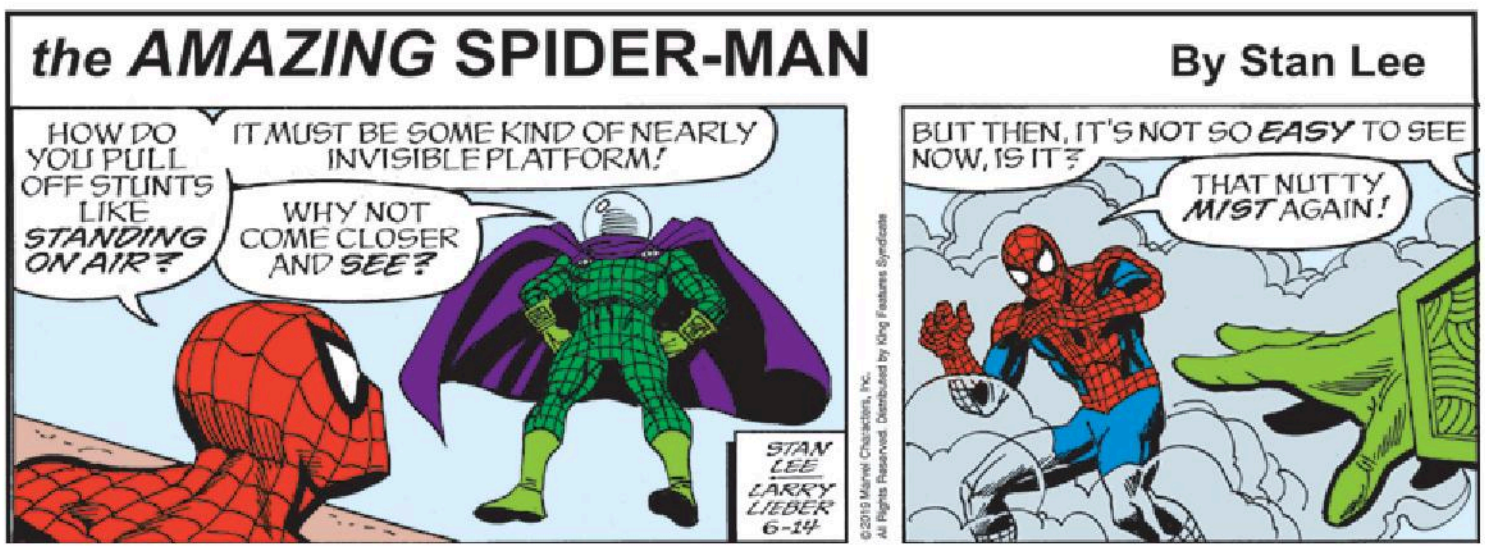
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NEWS BRIEFS

Applications invited

Government Industrial Training Institute (GITI) will be conducting a short-term training for field technicians and other home appliances as well as mobile phone and hardware repair technicians in Periyapatna. Interested candidates are requested to apply for the course at Periyapatna GITI. For details, contact Ph: 08223-297565.

Religious meet at Mudukuthore

Marking Mallikarjunaswamy Jathra, a religious meet has been organised at Suttur Nadu Mutt in Mudukuthore, T. Narasipur taluk at 6 pm on Feb.7. Muzrai Minister Kota Srinivas Poojary will inaugurate the event in the gracious presence of Suttur Mutt seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji and Athani Mutt seer Sri Marulasidda Swamiji.

Golden Jubilee celebrations

Bharat Vikas Parishad, Bharadwaj Branch, Mysuru, has organised a programme to mark its Golden Jubilee celebrations and for the release of souvenir 'Vikasa Sudha' at Ganabharathi in Kuvempunagar in city on Feb.9. Former MLC Thontadarya will inaugurate the programme at 9.30 am, Parishad Branch President Dr. B.N. Ranganatha Rao will preside, Industrialist M. Jagannath Shenoi will release the souvenir and Parishad former National Organising Secretary S. Ramanna will be the main speaker. [Mob: 98866-51596 or 82776-49994].

Elected to Co-operative Society

N. Srinivas has been elected President and K.G. Shankarnarayana Shastri has been elected Vice-President of The Mysore City Housing Co-operative Society located on Chamaraja Double Road, for a five-year term, in the elections held recently, according to a press release issued by the Society Secretary B.S.Srinath.

KRS Water Level

(Maximum : 124.80 feet)

Today	116.13 ft
Yesterday	116.16 ft
Inflow	612 cusecs
Outflow	857 cusecs

Kabini Level

(Maximum : 2,284.00 feet)

Today	2,278.21 ft
Inflow	270 cusecs
Outflow	00 cusecs

Mysuru to get cancer care centre and geriatric unit

Bengaluru, Feb. 5 (KMS&BCT)- Cancer treatment Centres will be established in five districts including Mysuru to provide treatment to patients in their own districts. The other districts are Ballari, Shivamogga, Bengaluru and Hubballi. These Centres will be managed by Kidwai Memorial Institute of Oncology (KMIO), Bengaluru, a Regional Cancer Centre. It is a recognised exclusive tertiary Cancer care Centre.

Ashwath Narayan

Speaking to reporters after paying surprise visits to Government Hospitals in Bengaluru yesterday, Deputy CM and Medical Education Minister Dr. C.N. Ashwath Narayan said that it may not be possible for people from rural areas to come to cities for cancer treatment and as such, the Government is establishing five such Centres in districts.

On handing over the responsibility of maintaining the centres to Kidwai Memorial Institute, the Minister said that the Institute offers world-class treatment to all sections of the society and is best suited to manage the district Cancer care Centres.

The Government also plans to set up four Geriatric Centres at Bangalore Medical College, Mysore Medical College, Vijayanagar Medical College, and the Karnataka Institute of Medical Sciences (Hubballi), owing to the increase in the longevity of life.

The Cancer care Centres are proposed at a cost of Rs. 40 crore. "The Cancer care Centre would come up in Shivamogga with an investment of Rs. 50 crore," the Minister said. A simulation lab along the lines of the one at Bangalore Medical College is proposed to be set up in all medical colleges at a cost of Rs. 5 crore.

He said that ahead of the State Budget, the Medical Education Department has sought six new medical colleges in the State among other new infrastructure. The Department has prepared a proposal amounting to Rs. 300 crore for investment in medical infrastructure and the upgrading of facilities which would make Government hospitals eligible for accreditation by National Accreditation Board for Hospitals and Healthcare Providers (NABH) and National Accreditation Board for Testing and Calibration Laboratories (NACL), he said.

Suttur Seer launches special campaign against cancer

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (MK&SD)- Suttur Seer Sri Shivarathri Deshikendra Swamiji flagged off two campaigns — 'Sparsha: Campaign Against Cancer' and 'Neurological Rehabilitation' — at St. Philomena's College auditorium in Bannimantap in city yesterday.

The Sparsha campaign was organised by The Catholic Diocese of Mysore in association with Organisation for Development of People (ODP), St. Joseph's Hospital and Caritus India, New Delhi, which will cover Mysuru, Kodagu, Mandya and Chamarajanagar districts and will entail creating awareness among students, members of the public, through regular free health camps, help detect cancer cases in early stages and help linkages for affordable treatment and even fund deserving cases.

The Neurological Rehabilitation programme was organised by St. Joseph's Hospital, Bannimantap in collaboration with NewRo Rehab, Bengaluru. The rehabilitation programme will provide community treatment through physiotherapy, occupational therapy, speech and language therapy and cognitive and memory therapy.

Speaking after inaugurating the event, Suttur Seer praised the efforts of Christian Institutions in the fields of healthcare and education. Mysuru Bishop Most Rev. K.A. William and Dr. M.S. Vishweshwara of Kidwai Hospital, Bengaluru also spoke on the occasion.

Former Bishop Most Rev. Dr. Thomas, NewRo Hospital Founder Dr. Sharan Srinivasan, Yenepoya University Vice Chancellor Dr. Syed Akheel Ahmed, Mysore Diocese Public Relations Officer Rev. Msgr. Leslie Moras, St. Joseph's Hospital Director Manuel D' Souza, Administrative Officer Sanjay Kumar and ODP Director Alex Prashanth were present.

Indo-Japanese Symposium on Oral Oncology

Mysuru, Feb. 5- The scientific and technological advancement that dentistry has shown in the last decade had made it possible to deliver good quality care for the patients today. The emerging areas are dental implantology and oral cancer.

In this regard, JSS Dental College and Hospital, in association with JSS Academy of Higher Education and Research, had organised a Indo-Japanese multidisciplinary symposium on 'Oral Oncology, Maxillofacial Trauma and Implantology' recently at the college premises.

The programme was inaugurated by Dr. P.A. Kushalappa, Director, Academics, JSS Academy of Higher Education & Research

and Dr. Kanichi Seto, President, International Foundation, Director of Oral Cancer Centre, Southern Tohoku Research Institute, Japan.

Dr. Kanichi Seto, in his speech, said, that the Indo-Japanese collaboration through SASOMI (South Asian Society of Oral and Maxillofacial Implantology), will strengthen the research and aid in student exchange programme which will enable the student to enrich the knowledge in dentistry.

The symposium speakers included Dr. Jun Shimada, Meikai University, School of Dentistry, Sakado, Japan; Dr. Takao Watanabe, Visiting Professor, Kanagawa Dental University, Japan, who delivered talks on technology based dentistry related to oral oncology and implantology. Delegates from different parts of Karnataka participated in the symposium.

Dr. Srilatha Bhargava, Vice-President, SASOMI, explained the vision and mission of the organisation.

As part of the collaboration, Japanese troupe performed a cultural programme depicting the Japanese culture.

Dr. D. Saikrishna, Professor and Head of Department, Oral and Maxillofacial Surgery proposed a vote of thanks.

Man goes
missing from city

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (KS)- A 35-year-old man, who left his house on Aug. 29, 2018 at about 12 noon, saying that he was going to Dasaraguppe, has since gone missing.

The missing person is Balamurali, a resident of P. Hosahalli, Belagola in Srirangapatna taluk, coming under Hebbal Police limits.

He is 5.5 ft. tall, oval faced, lean built, wheatish complexioned and speaks Kannada, Hindi and English.

Those having any information about Balamuarali may contact Hebbal Police Station on Ph: 0821-2418318 or call Police Control Room on Ph: 0821-2418339, according to a press release.

Obituary

M. Shanmukha

Mysuru, Feb. 5- M. Shanmukha (60), a retired Vani Vilas Water Works employee and a resident of Tilaknagar, passed away yesterday in city.

He leaves behind his wife, three sons and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Jodi Tenginamara Burial Grounds in Bannimantap this afternoon, according to family sources.

Ningamma

Ningamma (72), wife of late Ballakki Cheluvegowda and a resident of Hosahundi in the taluk passed away yesterday at her residence.

She leaves behind four sons, seven daughters and a host of relatives and friends.

Last rites were performed at Hosahundi Burial Grounds this afternoon, according to family sources.

Mohammed Salman Khan

Mohammed Salman Khan (26), a resident of Momin Nagar in Kesare, passed away yesterday at a private hospital in city.

He leaves behind his parents, wife, three children, five sisters, one brother and a host of relatives and friends.

Namaz-e-Janaza will be held at Masjid-e-Azam on Ashoka Road after Asar prayers at 5 pm today, followed by the burial at the Muslim Burial Grounds near Tipu Circle, according to sources.

Three killed as lorry rams into auto

Abhi

Surya

Prashanth

Mandya, Feb. 5 (Nagaiah& KS)- Three youths were killed on the spot when a lorry rammed into the autorickshaw in which they were travelling near Dundanahalli village in Maddur taluk last night.

The deceased are Abhi (20) of Dundanahalli, Surya (23) of Mallanakuppe and Prashanth (21) of Tittamaranahalli.

The deceased youths are said to be auto drivers. The trio was travelling in the autorickshaw on Tumakuru-Maddur Highway when it was hit by the lorry from behind, killing them on the spot.

Soon after the accident, those in the lorry dumped the sand which was being transported illegally into an agricultural field nearby to avoid being caught.

The bodies of the youths were shifted to Maddur General Hospital, where post-mortem was conducted this morning and the bodies were handed over to the family members.

Kestur Police, who have registered a case, are investigating.

Innocent lives snuffed out due to speeding truck involved in illegal sand mining, allege villagers

Illegal sand mining

Meanwhile, Superintendent of Police (SP) Parashuram visited the spot this morning only to be confronted by the villagers.

The villagers alleged that illegal sand mining is rampant in Simsha River and many trucks transporting the sand move on this road at neck-breaking speed to avoid being caught. Innocent lives were snuffed out due to the illegal trade, they added.

Month-old elephant calf
gets separated from mother

Hanagodu, Feb. 5 (Mahesh& BCT)-A month-old elephant calf got separated from its mother and the herd on the fringes of the Nagarahole National Park this morning. The wailing calf that had lost its way was spotted by villagers at Bharathavaadi.

The calf was spotted at 6 am and on seeing humans, the calf rushed towards them and the villagers patted the baby elephant. The calf was seen extending its tiny trunk to sense the smell of humans and was seen running towards them.

Villagers informed the Forest Department staff who were on patrol. The baby calf was the centre of attraction in the village with people shooting videos and clicking photos.

Forest officials conducted a thorough medical check-up and fed the baby before leaving it near Mantalli Kere under Veeranahosahalli Range.

Forest officials said that they have formed teams to trace the herd. "Efforts are on to trace the calf's mother. Since it is a month-old calf, it may not survive without its mother," they added.

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In this week's Pet Talk, Maneka explains about some of the behaviours in cats

Pet Talk

Maneka Gandhi

My cat had her kittens. She keeps one of them under my bed then brings him back to her nest a few minutes later. Why is she doing this?

She is probably uncomfortable with the spot where her kittens are. It may be too much out in the open, or there is too much going on, too much foot traffic. Cats instinctively try to hide their young kittens. Try moving her and the kittens somewhere quiet and dark. Try the back of a closet, keeping the closet door cracked open for her, of course. Some cats are very insistent about choosing their own spot, so if she picks a new spot, or if she moves the same kitten each time, it's probably because this is the most active/ vocal of the kittens, so gets the most attention. If it's a different kitten, she is just showing her anxiety with where the kittens are located.

She should be someplace private, like a bedroom. Even putting toddling kittens into a playpen, with a small litter box, should help her anxiety.

Cats generally like dim, cave-like, environments to raise kittens. You could try cleaning out the area under the bathroom sink, and place towels and blankets under that for the kittens, and confine her and the kittens to the bathroom. Or you could get a cat carrier big enough for her and the kittens, set it up in a quiet corner of your bedroom, and drape blankets over it to make it dark and quiet. If she freaks out and insists on taking a kitten, or kittens, to a specific place, though, just try and go with the flow and make sure she doesn't lose count and leave a kitten, or kittens, behind.

The kittens will start to toddle between 4 and 6 weeks, and start eating solid sometime after that. They should not be weaned until they are all very solidly eating food and using the litter box, usually between 9 and 11 weeks. Allow the mother's milk to dry up, and get her spayed soon, because she can get pregnant again right away.

I rescued my dog from the pond and she's extremely shy. Every time I raise my voice she pees herself. Should I return her?

I am happy you rescued her. Rescuing saves 2 lives — The dog you adopt, and the dog that takes its place in the shelter.

She was probably abused in the past. But she will get better. It will take time, patience, and love, and eventually she will become a bright happy dog.

The fact that she pees herself when you raise your voice is because she probably comes from a violent situation before. Her previous owner probably shouted at her all the time and beat her, so she pees because she's afraid it will happen again. Don't raise your voice. Stay calm and tell her off calmly. You could even pick her up and put her in another place. You need to be her best friend.

Buy a bag of treats. Train her to pee outside. Every time she does this, praise her and jackpot her with treats!

Soon, she'll ask to go out to pee. Then come back. Praise her and give her two treats! Work on it!

If you return her she will die and you will be a person who should never keep a dog again.

The behaviour that you want to stop might be the fear pee, but that won't happen until she sees that you don't need absolute submission. Which takes time.

What does it mean when I pet my cat and then she quickly stands up and arches her back? Should I stop petting her if she does that?

When a cat stands up and arches her back it means that it wants more petting in exactly the same way. You can tell when 'enough' is because she'll stop arching into your hand. If she sort of shrinks away, it's time to stop petting.

Why will a cat you have been petting suddenly turn and bite you?

If a cat you have been petting suddenly swats you, or bites you, it is saying, "ENOUGH!" Some cats like to be petted and some tire of it quickly. Cats are individuals. When cats tire of petting they often just jump down from your lap or your bed.

Biting and swatting occurs with some cats. It doesn't mean the cat doesn't love you, nor is it an indicator that the cat is upset with the attention, it just means it has had enough attention for the moment.

Most cats will indicate to you, through their body language, that enough is enough. Warning signs that your cat may no longer want to be pet are: flicking or swishing of the tail, ears rotating to the side or back, staring, fur rippling on the back or sides, or tensing of the body. The best way to avoid being swatted or bitten is to stop petting as soon as you see the warning signals.

How can I get my dog to stop running off?

To stop this behaviour, one must first understand the cause for the same.

Causes may include:

Frustration. Your dog might figure out a way to take off if bored. If high energy dogs do not get enough exercise, the built up stress could lead to running off.

Missing the owner: Your dog might hit the road because it stresses her out to be apart from you. A dog with separation anxiety will usually run away right after you leave.

Fear: Some dogs run because they're scared. Common fears include thunderstorms and fireworks.

Sex drive: A dog that isn't fixed, may escape in search of a mate. Dogs become sexually mature when they're around 6 months old. Because their drive is so high, it can be very hard to keep them confined.

Solution: Play with or walk your dog every day. Exercise is a must to release the built up stress in your dog.

Give fun toys while you're gone.

In case there is separation anxiety, and if the problem is mild, give a special treat each time you go. Don't make it a big deal when you leave or return.

Neuter/ Spay your dog after 6-8 months of age.

Comfort your dogs and give them safe space inside the house in case there are loud noises around, like fireworks, thunder, a parade etc.

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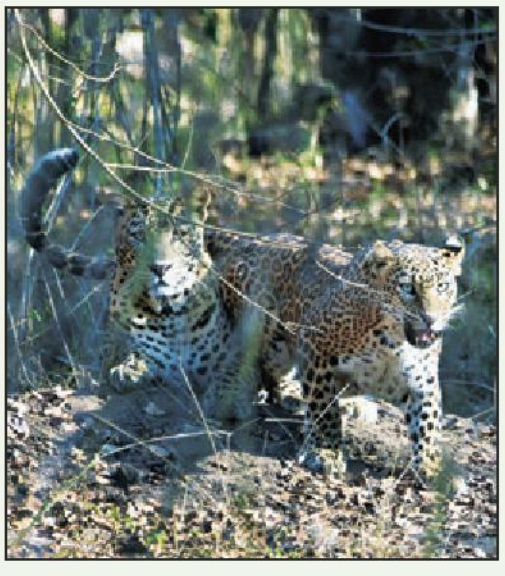
A surprise moment at Dammanakatte



The areas around Kabini, Dammanakatte (Kakanakote) is known for leopards where visitors have often spotted single, mating couple, cubs, even a hunt sequence too. Many visitors come here to see leopards in its natural habitat and the area is therefore called the Land of Leopards or the Leopard Capital. Last evening, safari goers in one lucky vehicle inside the Dammanakatte had a chance to see the mating ritual of leopards amidst trees and dry foliage. The act started with the male leopard crouching in mud and the female slowly approaching him, rubbing her body against his. Though the ritual lasted a few minutes with both the male and the female felines at times staring and growling at the visitors' vehicle for possible disturbance during their intimate moment, it was a worth moment of surprise and the ritual was captured live in cameras. Seconds later, the felines moved inside the forest.

[Pics. by M.N. Lakshminarayana Yadav]

Colourful start to 85th Kannada Sahitya Sammelana at Kalaburagi

Kalaburagi, Feb. 5- The three-day 85th Akhila Bharata Kannada Sahitya Sammelana got off to a colourful start at Kalaburagi, the hub of Kalyana Karnataka region, this morning.

The Meet President Dr. H.S. Venkateshamurthy was brought in a grand procession starting from S.M. Pandit Rangamandira in the heart of the city. The procession passed through Kharge Petrol Bunk on Sedam Road, Ring Road and Kusnoor Road, before reaching the sprawling Gulbarga University Campus, the venue of the Meet, covering a distance of about 6 kms.

More than 60 folk and cultural troupes from across the State, including 23 from host Kalaburagi district, accompanied the procession, which was welcomed with cheers from the people who had gathered in large numbers along the entire procession route.

Dy.CM Govind Karjol, Kannada Sahitya Parishat President Dr. Manu Baligar, MP Dr. Umesh Jadhav and others were present.

CM B.S. Yediyurappa will formally inaugurate the Kannada Literary Festival this afternoon.

The Kalaburagi district unit of Karnataka State Government Employees Association presented a Rs.3 crore cheque to DC B. Sharath as its contribution for the Fest, which concludes on Feb.7.

The entire city was decked up for the occasion, with prominent public joints such as Basaveshwara Circle, Ambedkar Circle, Government Bus Stand, DC's Office, Sharana Basaveshwara Temple, Khaja Bandenawaz Dargah etc., specially illuminated.

Even as the all-important Literary Fest began, most of the ruling party MLAs from the district are camping in Bengaluru, lobbying for Ministerial berths in the Cabinet, which is scheduled to be expanded tomorrow.

Mysore Varsity provides 3.50-acre land for Classical Kannada Centre

Approval of Union HRD Ministry to be sought to start the Centre: Minister C.T. Ravi

Bengaluru, Feb. 5 (KMS&BCT)- The Centre of Excellence for Studies in Classical Kannada (CESCK), set up for research, documentation and study of Kannada as a classical language at the Central Institute of Indian Languages (CIIL), Hunsur Road, Mysuru, will soon function from University of Mysore campus. CESCK will study Kannada's antiquity and classical legacy.

C.T. Ravi

Land has been identified to house the CESCK within the campus of University of Mysore and the State Government will seek the approval of Union Human Resources Development (HRD) Ministry within the next 10 days for the Centre to function, said Minister for Kannada and Culture C.T. Ravi.

He said that University of Mysore has agreed to provide 3.50 acres of land inside Manasagangothri for CESCK on Hunsur Road near the Adult Education Council and Taluk Office. The land approval documents will be sent to the HRD Ministry for approval. Once the approval comes in, CESCK Governing Council will be constituted giving a green signal for the Classical Centre to begin functioning, he added.

The Centre will function with an autonomous status and the status will help in availing funds and hasten research projects.

CESCK was founded for research, documentation, propagation and teaching of Kannada and providing linkages to studies in other classical languages in the world.

The Kannada Classical Language Centre was the second centre to be established at CIIL after the Tamil Centre. CIIL promotes, propagates and preserves the classical language inside and outside of its speech territories, undertakes and encourages research and documentation in India and abroad, makes documentaries on scholars of eminence who are well-versed in classical texts and explores linkages of classical language with classical music and dance forms. It also translates classical texts into other Indian languages, English and selected European languages.

Mega exhibition-cum-sale at Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry

Mysuru, Feb. 5 - A mega exhibition and sale of sarees and ready-made garments has been organised at Nanjaraja Bahadur Choultry in city till Feb. 9. Varieties of sarees including Cotton Print, Zari Border, Georgette, Chiffon, Italian Crape, Poonam Printed, Banaras, Fancy Cotton, Light Weight, Rich Palloo and other types of sarees are on display and available at lowest price. Also wide variety of ready-made garments for men, women and children including trousers, shirts, Bermudas, ladies tops, leggings, capri and pyjamas along with branded readymade apparels are also available, according to a press release.

Rudraksha Expo: Hyderabad-based Indus Nepal Rudraksha Organisation is holding an exhibition-cum-sale of various types of Rudraksha at Hotel Crystal Park Inn, Nazarbad Main Road, Mysuru from Feb. 5 to Feb. 12 between 10 am and 9 pm.

Speaker Nancy Pelosi rips up Trump's State of the Union Address

Speaker Nancy Pelosi seen ripping up the pages of President Donald Trump's State of the Union Address on camera. The move followed an awkward exchange where Pelosi extended her hand for a handshake, but the President snubbed her.

Washington, Feb. 5 (UNI)- Twenty-four hours after the first contest among the Democrats seeking to replace him in November and 24 hours before he will be formally acquitted in the Senate impeachment trial, President Donald Trump delivered his third State of the Union address to a bicameral session of Congress on Tuesday night.

It was a decided departure from Trump's freewheeling campaign speeches and Twitter talk, a more measured recitation of his accomplishments in his first three years in office as he looks to run for and win a second term this fall.

Trump snubbed Speaker Nancy Pelosi's attempt to shake his hand before beginning his address. (The two reportedly haven't spoken in months.) Pelosi could be seen shaking her head — albeit only slightly — at several points during Trump's speech, including when he said his health care plan would protect all people with pre-existing conditions.

In two stunning moments that book-ended the evening, Trump, as he began his speech, turned his back on House Speaker Nancy Pelosi's outstretched hand in a snub that encapsulated their boiling bad blood. Then, after he wrapped up, Pelosi, channeling her disgusted and outraged Democratic members, ostentatiously tore up the speech in full view of the cameras, in a sure-to-go viral moment that showed she can do theatrics too.

When Trump mentioned lowering drug costs, a group of House Democrats stood up and chanted "HR 3" in reference to the Elijah Cummings Lower Drug Costs Now Act. Shouts of "no" could be heard when Trump awarded conservative talk radio host Rush Limbaugh the Presidential Medal of Freedom.

*Economy, economy, economy: Previewing his planned re-election message, Trump began his speech with an extended riff on the success of his economic policy — declaring a "great American comeback" and proudly asserting: "The state of our union is stronger than ever before."

Many of the stats Trump used to back up that argument — a 70% increase in the stock market since he entered the White House, record low unemployment for black and Hispanic people — are familiar to anyone who has listened to or read the President's standard stump speech.

Trump's economic focus is a savvy one from a political perspective. Poll after poll shows that a majority of Americans approve of how he has handled the economy — a stark contrast with how his handling of issues like immigration and foreign policy is viewed.

If there was any doubt about the goal of all of this economic messaging, the chants of "Four more years!" from Republican House members and senators cleared that up quickly.

India's first wood frame house inaugurated in city

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (MTY&KS)- Canadian Wood, in association with Pyramid Timber Associates, Mysuru, inaugurated the country's first ever wood frame construction (WFC) house in city. The house is constructed at Pyramid Timber Associates premises on Mysuru-Hunsur Road near Yelwal.

Wood framing is a system of framing techniques based on optimising building materials to produce wood framed buildings with less materials and labour costs than conventionally framed structures.

The house is adaptable from hot and humid to extremely cold climates and is able to meet or exceed code established levels of fire safety and sound control.

Speaking about the project, Pranesh Chhibber, Country Director, Forestry Innovation Consulting India Pvt. Ltd, said, "It was our pleasure to work with Pyramid Timber Associates for this project. Wood frame construction has been the preferred choice of construction for millions of houses in North America. In India, we are experiencing a trend of Country Homes, Farm Houses and Villas in the second home category where wood frame technique is in demand."

CEO of Pyramid Timber Associates Pvt. Ltd. Ali Asgar Vagh and Director, Business Development at FII India Ajay Pimple were present.

Land at Dhanipur village in Ayodhya selected for mosque

Lucknow, Feb 5 (UNI)- Uttar Pradesh Government's spokesperson and state Energy Minister Srikant Sharma this morning said five acres of land at Dhanipur village under Sohawal Tehsil on the Lucknow -Ayodhya highway has been selected for building mosque in the Temple city.

The selected area has very good road connectivity as it is near the Ronahai Police Station and was just 18 kilometres from the district headquarters, Sharma told reporters after Cabinet meeting. The Minister said that now the Centre will send the proposal to the Supreme Court for approval.

The Uttar Pradesh Government had proposed sites for five acres land for a mosque on the directive of the Supreme Court over its Ayodhya judgement on Nov. 9, 2019, where the Sunni Central Board of Waqf can construct a mosque. According to sources, the place selected by the government for the mosque is out of the preview of the '14 Kosi Parikrama' and was near the Ayodhya-Barabanki border.

The Supreme Court had directed the Centre and Uttar Pradesh Government to allot an alternative 5-acre land to the Muslims at a prominent place to build a mosque. Muslim parties are divided on accepting five acres of land for mosque.

CAA no threat to Muslims, population register essential, says Rajinikanth

Chennai, Feb. 5 (UNI)- The Citizenship (Amendment) Act or CAA is no threat to Muslims and if they face trouble, "I will be the first person to raise voice for them", superstar Rajinikanth this morning, making his stand clear on the law that has triggered protests across the country. He also termed the National Population Register "essential".

"The CAA is no threat to Muslims. If they face trouble, I will be the first person to raise voice for them," Rajinikanth said. "How will Muslims who chose to stay back in India following Partition be sent out of the country?" he added.

Rajinikanth, whose political debut has been anticipated for some time and is expected before the Tamil Nadu election next year, urged students to hold protests only after analysing the subjects and discussing with their professors.

"The Government has assured that Indian people will have no issues in respect of CAA. Some political parties are instigating people against CAA for their selfish interests," Rajinikanth said.

10 Ministers to be sworn-in

(Continued from page 1)

Meanwhile, three-time Saundatti MLA Anand Mamani showed his discontentment via multiple tweets. "The people who recently joined the party are being made Ministers. It goes to show that there is no value for legislators who were loyal to the party," Mamani said.

In his tweets, Mamani also objected to senior leaders holding onto their posts, not making way for others. The inclusion of some 'unfit' legislators and continuation of some senior Ministers has not gone down well with senior BJP leader Basanagouda Patil Yatnal. He said the Government must assess the performance of Ministers once every three months.

BJP legislators are upset over the plan to induct C.P. Yogeeshwar. Some MLAs met in Bengaluru to discuss the developments. After their meeting, MLA and the Chief Minister's Political Secretary M.P. Renukacharya said there is nothing new or wrong in holding meetings among MLAs. "It's not a revolt or rebellion. We will never question the high command's decision. The only thing that's bothering us is the decision to make defeated candidates Ministers," said Renukacharya.

Railway Pensioners meeting

Mysuru, Feb.5- The monthly meeting of Railway Pensioners Welfare Association, Mysuru, will be held on Feb. 8 at 10.30 am at 'A' Manuel Hall, Seshadri Iyer Road in city.

G. Arumugam, President, will preside. G. Swaminathan, Vice-President and C.G. Krishna, General Secretary, will speak.

The team from Nethra Dhama Super Specialist Eye Hospital, Chamarajapuram, will conduct a free eye test on the same day at 11 am. Pensioners and their family can avail the benefit.

'Varushada Harusha' Karaoke music programme tomorrow

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (PM&US)- Arabhi Samskrutika Trust, marking its first anniversary, has organised a Karaoke music programme 'Varushada Harusha' featuring popular Kannada film songs tomorrow (Feb.6) at 5.30 pm at Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on JLB Road here.

Disclosing this at a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan here this morning, Trust Advisory Committee Chairman P. Mahesh Kumar said that the Trust, established by professionals in various fileds with passion for music, has staged four shows over the last one year. He opined that music is a true stress-buster and soothes the mind. He further said that the programme would be presided over by Trust President Dr. N. Kuladeep. He added that Music Director and Ninad Musical Trust President A.S. Prasanna Kumar will be felicitated on the occasion.

Publicity Committee Chairperson Divya Keshavan was present.

Bharatanatyam Rangapravesha of N. Anusha Raj on Feb. 8

Mysuru, Feb. 5- The tradition of Rangapravesha has been practiced from the period of Gurukul system till day. N. Anusha Raj, a disciple of Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy, will be presenting her Arangetram on Feb. 8 at Jaganmohan Palace at 6 pm. The entry to the event is free.

Anusha

Artiste's Profile: Vidushi N. Anusha Raj showed her talents, at the tender age of 7. Her father, R. Narayan, an ex-serviceman in the Indian Army and her mother, Shashirekha, resided in Ajmer in her early years. Anusha began her Bharatanatyam journey under the tutelage of Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy. Anusha holds a Vidwat degree in Bharatanatyam.

Throughout her dance career, Anusha has performed at many dance events like Chiguru Sanje, Pallavotsava, International Travel Day, Ramanavami festivities at Vellore, and many more. She has also performed on several reputed platforms in over 20 cities across India.

Anusha also trains in yoga under the guidance of Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy, which has complemented her endurance and poise in dance. She is trained in vocal music by Vidushi Saraswathi Raghavan, a noted musician. Anusha has also displayed her talents in the field of theatre by playing vital roles in the plays like *Ekachakranagara* and *Bitta Payanava Bidade*. A feather in her cap is playing the lead role of the danseuse Balasaraswathi in the play *Balasaraswathi- Natyasaraswathi* which won the accolade of the critics. She has also worked in the aspects of music and choreography which have broadened her spheres and enriched her with knowledge and experience.

Anusha has always struck a balance between her passion and academics. Being a distinction student throughout her academic career, she is now doing her post-graduation in Physics at JSS College, Ooty Road, Mysuru.

Retired Employees Assn. to hold 'Vidhana Soudha Chalo' on Feb.19

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (PK&SD)- Karnataka State Government Retired Employees Association will be holding a rally in Bengaluru on Feb.19 to urge the Government to fulfil their various demands.

Addressing a press meet at Pathrakartara Bhavan in city this morning, Association President N. Obaiah said, "To draw the attention of the Government on our long-standing demands, we have organised 'Vidhana Soudha Chalo' rally on Feb.19. The rally, which will begin from Krantivira Sangolli Rayanna Railway Station, passes through Anand Rao Circle, before culminating at Freedom Park."

He further said, "Retired Government employees should also be covered under the State Government's Jyothi Sanjeevini scheme. The 25% discount on KSRTC buses fares given to the retired State Government employees should be increased to 50%. Also, the pension percentage of retired employees who have crossed 70 years of age must be increased as done in the neighbouring States."

Obaiah also appealed all retired employees of the State Government to participate in this rally in large numbers.

Association Treasurer K.M. Nagaraj and Chief Secretary B.R. Umakanth were present during the press meet.

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Mysore Memories...

HSK: A master chronicler of our times

By Dr. S.N. Bhagirath

[Continued from yesterday]

HSK's repertoire was vast and seemingly endless. He seemed to transcend boundaries of different genres of writing with effortless ease. While he was an ace biographer and chronicler of his times, he was also a master essayist, critic, poet, editor and novelist of considerable repute. His five collections of essays bear testament to this. His three novels *"Mukti Marga"*, *"Bayakeye bele"* and *"Kurukshetra"* showcase his narrative skills beautifully. His two collections of short stories *"Aa Chitra"* and *"Muppina Sangathi"* were very well received in literary circles. His work *"Kannadadalli Vidambana Sahitya"* received the Karnataka Sahitya Parishat Award in 1981. His literary perspective on Kuvempu's writings wherein he saw glimpses of *'Vishistadvaita'* were indeed novel for his time — this he beautifully encapsulated in *"Kuvempu Sahityadalli Vishistadvaita Darshana."*

HSK's creative streak gleamed forth in his two anthologies of poems titled *"Davanada Kone"* (1989) and *"Tingalurina Tere"* (2001). He did not limit his writing to the literary realm. His socio-political views would come forth in his works on economy and linguistics. To name a few are *"Namma Abhivruddhi Yojanegalu"* (on Five Year plans) and *"Vanijyashastra Parichaya"* (an introductory book on Economics for students) among others. An eternal proponent of Kannada language, he argued for Kannada being our *lingua franca* (especially in administrative circles) in his book *"Vyavaharika Kannada."* HSK authored about five books in English which were mostly biographies of Bendre, Shivaram Karanth and Masti among others.

Probably D.L. Narasimhachar described HSK's writing the best when he said thus (translated from Kannada): "Iyengar's writings embody the use of a simple language, a healthy absence of unnecessary adjectives, a beautiful structuring of sentences, content that is devoid of any ambiguity in its import, highly relatable illustrations, examples drawn from everyday life and most importantly a measured yet generous style of expression — an eclectic mix of qualities that one wishes for in every writer." HSK himself described his style of writing in the words of Somerset Maugham as being a "Style-less style."

HSK with D.R. Bendre.

HSK with V. Seetharamaiah.

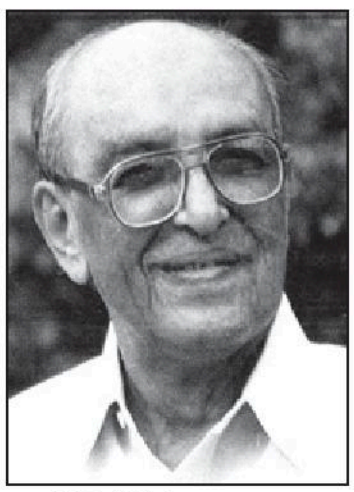
His reputation as an extremely sober and balanced writer gained him access to places and people, which were otherwise off limits. He had the rare distinction of being one of the chief participants of a meeting of the "Yojana" Committee chaired by the then PM Jawaharlal Nehru. Also to his credit was the fact that the media shy Kuvempu had agreed to be interviewed by none other than HSK.

Sri Jayachamaraja Wadiyar was interviewed by very few people in his time and HSK was one among this select club. HSK's last written piece titled *"Modern Malls: Turning a new leaf"* was published four days after his demise in this very newspaper on Tuesday, 2nd September, 2008 as he used to send the Friday columns — ***HSK's moving finger writes...*** — one week in advance. His penultimate article *"National politics at the crossroads"* was published on Friday, 29th August, 2008.

H.S. Krishnaswamy Iyengar passed away at the age of 88 years on the night of 29th August, 2008 due to ill health.

Personal Life

HSK married Champalakshmi in July 1945. They had two children — Parthasarathy and Geetha. Champalakshmi in HSK's own words deserves a great deal of praise and gratitude, for it was her 'patience,' unending 'love and dedication' which saw the family through times both difficult and happy. It was she who comforted and offered succour to HSK when he came home after resigning from his vocation of twenty years at Banumaiah's College — a time when the family literally had no other means of income! Fifty-four-years of married life made Champalakshmi HSK's most endearing and trusted compan-



H.S. Krishnaswamy

ion. Sadly, she passed away on November 4,1999.

Recognition

HSK received the 'Karnataka Sahitya Akademi Award' in 1981, 'Karnataka Patrika Akademi Award' in 1996, 'Rajyotsava Award' in 1997, 'Viswamanava Award' in 1999 and 'H. K. Veeranna Gowda Award' in 1996 to name a few. He was presented with felicitation volumes — *'Ayda Barahagalu'* on his 60th birthday and *'Samadarśi'* on his 75th birthday. In recognition of his lifelong contribution to the world of Literature and Journalism, the University of Mysore bestowed on him a Honoris Causa (D. Litt) in 2004.

Legacy

An anecdotal experience often remembered with regard to HSK goes something like this — a young chap who had just then cleared his IAS exams came rushing into the chambers of *'Sudha'* magazine one day and exclaimed that he was the first person to have cleared the exam having written it in Kannada! A tall claim indeed, but not an unexpected one. But what was to follow this made it a more memorable incident. He added, that for his exam preparation, he seldom ever visited a library or a book store — instead all he apparently did was diligently read HSK's weekly columns which covered just about everything under the sun! Such was HSK's sweep.

HSK often remarked that through those years of highs and lows, if there was one thing that held him and his family in good stead, then that was 'writing'! He referred to 'writing' as the *raison d'être* of his existence and it most certainly was. The one redeeming quality that set HSK apart had to be that his writing was always factual, devoid of bias and never tinged with any particular ideology or view point. The gentleness and warm sentiment, that this man espoused so effortlessly through his wonderful smile and sense of bearing made him all the more affable and endearing to his legion of readers.

This giant of a writer was denied a pension for all of his retirement years and had to struggle to make ends meet! If a society is to be judged based on how it treats its intellectual gems, then it is high time we introspect into the current state of our society and polity and wonder where we are headed to?

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Dr. H.S. Krishnaswamy with his family.

Mysuru football team creates history at Mini Olympics

Bengaluru, Feb. 5- Mysuru District Football team created record by scoring highest goals by any team in the Karnataka State Mini Olympics Games 2020-21.

In a match held at Sree Kanteerva Stadium this morning, Mysuru team enthralled crowd and stunned Raichur team beating them by 12-0.

The team, captained by K.S. Thrishanth Kumar (a student of Excel Public School) restrained Raichur and continued to take control and dominate scoring a dozen goals. Sunil, a student of Mahabodi School, scored highest goals for Mysuru.

"This massive victory against Raichur and previous match win against Uttarakannada has got the young lads dream of making into Qualifying round to play finals," said coach Dr. Brijesh Singh and Manager Varun Karthik.

The Team: K.S. Thrishanth Kumar (Captain), Amar Sharma, Aditya Kumar, Swarangsar Mochahary, Sunil Chakma, Stanzin Tashi, Orjonkam Thikhak, Vibhin Gowda, S.V. Vaishak, Taran Ponnappa, Chow Neython, Divamsh, Rishon D' Almeida, M. Prathik, Satyam Anand and C. Nikhil Aloysius.

Sri M. Gopalaswami Memorial Tourney

Five-wicket win for MUCSC

Mandya, Feb. 5- Mysore University Colleges Sports Council (MUCSC) registered a good five-wicket win over City Cricketers, Mandya and entered the second round in the Sri M. Gopalaswami Memorial Cricket Tourney 2019-20 played at the PET Grounds here yesterday.

SCORES — 1st Round

City Cricketers, Mandya: 95 in 20.5 overs (Syed Yunus 31, Harsha Viman 5/20, S. Rajath 3/39, Nitish Manju 2/12) lost to **MUCSC:** 98/5 in 14.3 overs (Harsha Viman 32, S. Sathish 21, Manju 2/22, Santhosh 2/12).

Nanjangud CC: 174 in 47.5 overs (Putta Nayak 48, Likith 44, Medansh Urs 23, Sumanth Uthappa 20, R. Madhusudhan 2/34, Mustafa 2/29, Naveen 2/24, K. Uday 2/22) lost to **Navajyothi CC:** 175/4 in 25.1 overs (K.S. Lokesh 50, Ravi Nayak 34, Naveen 38, Nirmal 2/63).

Vijaya CC: 233 in 39.5 overs (Abhishek 51, Ganesh 31, Mashood 38, Kiran 33, Madhu 35 n.o., Shashidhar 5/34, Ravi Kiran 2/20, Uma Shankar 2/43) bt **Yuvaraja's College:** 220 in 34.3 overs 9 Srinidhi Urs 44, Umashankar 37, Rakesh 23, Koushik 23, Ganesh 5/33, Abhishek 2/54).

KSCA Mysuru Zonal League 2019-20

Vishnu, Kruthik, Saishiv Narayan slam centuries in drawn tie

Mysuru, Feb. 5- Centuries by Vishnu Priyan (166, 22x4) for Jawahars' CC and by Kruthik Krishna (101 n.o.) and Saishiv Narayan (107 n.o.) for RBNCC 'A', was the highlight of the two-day drawn KSCA Mysuru Zone 1st Division match played at the PET Grounds in Mandya recently, in which RBNCC 'A' gained the vital first innings points.

SCORES

1st Division — Jawahars' CC: 325 in 82.1 overs (Vishnu Priyan 166, Yogesh Gowda 75, Saishiv Narayan 4/38, S.J. Nikin Jose 2/44, M.B. Darshan 2/101) drew with **RBNCC 'A':** 398/6 in 66 overs (Saishiv Narayan 107 n.o., Kruthik Krishna 101 n.o., Nikin Jose 84, L. Hemanth Kumar 32, P.V. Preetham 30 Subhadip Das 2/40, Afan 2/81); **RBNCC 'A':** 3 and **Jawahars' CC:** 1.

Vishnu Priyan

Kruthik Krishna

Saishiv Narayan

KSCA Mysuru Zone U-14 Inter-Club Tourney

Amogh shines in Sunny Side's win

Mysuru, Feb.5- A good all-round performance by H. Amogh (80 & 3/15) enabled Sunny Side CC to register a well-earned 54-run win over Jawahars' CC in the semi-finals of the KSCA Mysuru Zone U-14 Inter-Club Tourney match played at the JSS-SJCE Grounds here yesterday.

In the other semi-final played at the SDNR Wadiyar Grounds, National CC with some inspiring all-round performance from P. Kishan (4/16 & 51) scored a six-wicket win over RBNCC and entered the final.

SCORES — Semi-finals

Sunny Side CC: 189 in 48.3 overs (H. Amogh 80, Pushyanth 39, M.D. Ayush 32, S. Dhanush Gowda 2/35, Tushar Singavi 2/26) bt **Jawahars' CC:** 135 in 38.2 overs (Jay Rajesh Jain 30, H. Amogh 3/15, Vilas 2/26).

RBNCC: 112 in 47.4 overs (S.R. Chiranthan 65, K.L. Tharun Kumar 23, P. Kishan 4/16, Guru Kiran 2/18) lost to **National CC:** 113/4 in 45.4 overs (P. Kishan 51).

Medal-winners in National Karate Championship

The students of Zen Shito-Ryu Karate School India Dojo, Udayagiri, have Abdul Wahid Convention Hall, Rajiv Nagar, excelled in the National-level Karate Championship held at Chamundi Vihar Stadium in city recently. Seen are** (kneeling) **Zainab Fathima - 2nd prize in Kumite and 3rd prize in Kata;** (standing from left) **Asif Shariff - 2nd in Kumite and 2nd in Kata; Nasrulla Shariff - 2nd in Kumite; Gundappa - Refree; Shihan Azeez Khan - Chief Instructor; C. Nagesh - Refree; Mohammed Shahruf Malik - 2nd in Kumite and 1st in Kata; Imtiyaz Khan - 3rd in Kumite and 3rd in Kata; Mohammed Rizwan - 2nd in Kumite and 1st in Team Kata and Mohammed Fahad - 2nd in Kumite and 1st in Kata.

ICC Under-19 World Cup

India thrash Pak to book final berth

Potchefstroom, Feb. 5- India defeated Pakistan by 10 wickets to storm into their third successive final in the Under-19 Cricket World Cup. India will now play the winner of the second semi-final between Bangladesh and New Zealand.

Yashasvi Jaiswal and Divyaansh Saxena helped India gun down the modest target of 173 with 10 wickets to spare after the highest partnership of the 2020 Under-19 World Cup in South Africa.

Yashasvi was unbeaten on 105 as he finished off the chase with a massive six as early as the 36th over. Divyansh was not out on 59 as the India openers put on a masterclass on Tuesday.

India and Pakistan have now won 5 matches against each other in all Under-19 World Cups. If India manage to win the World Cup final on Sunday (February 9), they will extend their title count to 5. India are already the most successful team in the history of the Under-19 World Cup.

Yashasvi Jaiswal

A little over 2 years ago, India had crushed Pakistan in the semi-final of the 2018 U19 World Cup after Shubman Gill's unbeaten 102 had lifted the Indian U-19s to 272 for 9 off their 50 overs. In response, Pakistan were bundled out for 69.

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Plea to clear garbage dumped next to Ramakrishna Ashram

Garbage which is dumped next to Ramakrishna Ashram is not cleared since days. Residents allege that household garbage collected by civic workers from door-to-door is not shifted directly to the designated place but is dumped next to Ramakrishna Ashram first and then removed at the leisure time, which sometimes take days together. By the time the garbage is removed, stray cattle gather at the garbage dump and feed on the garbage, which includes plastic bags, sanitary pads, leftover food, etc. causing health issues for cows. Authorities concerned are urged to get the garbage cleared at the earliest and instruct the civic workers not to dump garbage but shift the same to the designated place identified by the MCC.

Garbage being dumped right in front of warning board in CFTRI Layout

Garbage is being dumped right in front of the warning board put up by the MCC at CFTRI Layout. The message warns residents of being penalised for dumping degradable and non-degradable waste, but the litter dumping has not stopped. A cow is seen feeding on the garbage which include plastic cups, plates, bowls, leftover food, right in front of the warning board. Authorities concerned are urged to get the garbage cleared, install CCTVs and penalise those found dumping garbage at the spot.

Irresponsible citizens dumping garbage near Prabha Theatre

Irresponsible citizens are dumping garbage right in front of 'Not a place for garbage' banner put up by MCC on Sambaiah lane (Old Bank Road Cross) near Prabha Theatre. Though the warning message states that garbage dumpers would be penalised, dumping of garbage is going on without fear. Authorities concerned are urged to get the garbage cleared and take steps to prevent garbage from being dumped in future.

Foundation stone for Azeez-Ur-Rehaman Arabic Madries laid at Haleemnagar

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (KS) - The foundation stone for Azeez-Ur-Rehaman Arabic Madries was laid by Anwar Pasha, Secretary of Majlis Rifha-ul-Muslimeen Apna Ghar at Hazarath Haleem Basha Khadree Darga Shariff premises at Haleemnagar in Bannimantap recently.

The Madries building coming up on 20x30 site will have a ground and first floor and is being built at a cost of Rs. 10 lakh sanctioned by MLA Tanveer Sait under Minority Department.

Moulana Afsar Azeezi of Masjid Akbarie Khateeb at Haleemnagar and Imam Moulana Mohd. Sadiq read Duwa and Fatha Khani. Management Committee Treasurer Awaiz Pasha introduced the guests and Joint Secretary Abdul Jabbar explained the yeomen services of former Minister late Azeez Sait and former Corporator and Founder-President of Darga Committee late Rehaman Shariff besides thanking MLA Tanveer Sait for the fund.

President of the Dargah Committee Imtiyaz Pasha proposed vote of thanks. S. Shafi, Ibrahim, Mohammed Mumtaz Ahmed, Abrar Ahmed, Haji Kaleem Ahmed, Hafiz Nasir Ahmed, Nasir Ahmed, Social workers Mubarak and Mirza Jamsheed, Baig Ashrafi and others were present.

Coffee planters cautioned against engaging labours from Kerala

Madikeri, Feb 5 (UNI)- Following third Novel Coronavirus (nCOV) case reported in Kerala, the Kodagu District Administration has warned planters against engaging labours from neighbouring State for coffee picking season which is on now.

Authorities have asked coffee planters not to send their workers to Kerala or bring new workers to their plantations till Feb. 15. Kodagu shares its border with Kerala and workers are often brought for work in the estates during the coffee harvesting season.

District Health Officer K. Mohan, however, clarified that there was no need to panic as the administration and the Department of Health and Family Welfare had taken adequate precautionary measures following the virus scare. So far, there have been no suspected cases in the district.

Meanwhile, a Kodagu district-level Task Force on nCOV had been constituted which is headed by the District Surveillance Officer. Likewise, in Taluks, respective Taluk Medical officer will head the Task Force. They will take steps against the spread of the disease besides putting in place all necessary preventive mechanisms.

Two more check posts in Chamarajanagar

Health authorities have set up two more check posts in the border with full medical team to check passengers arriving by various modes of transport from Kerala. Two check posts with full medical team were set up after Kerala declared a State calamity.

Two health teams have been deployed at Moolehole and Bandipur check posts for the screening of travelling public. The teams screen for symptoms and seek the passengers' travel history besides finding out whether they had any contact with the people who had recently visited China or with the patients, relatives who tested positive.

Educating the public

Health authorities are also distributing pamphlets to educate the public on the disease as an awareness building exercise. On knowing about the presence of the Chinese nationals who are currently running a flower extract unit near Gundlupet, health teams met them and screened them as a precautionary measure. They are in the town since many days and are not from Wuhan, officers said.

The Health Department has also begun carrying out an awareness programme in the taluks of H.D. Kote and Nanjangud to ensure that persons showing symptoms of coronavirus infection after visiting China or coming in contact with people visiting China approach the health authorities immediately.

Distribution of handbills is underway at bus stands, railway stations and places of tourist interest including Mysuru Palace and Zoo. Screening of passengers has also been taken up at the Mysore Airport, said District Health Officer Venkatesh.

In case the health officials come across any suspects, they will be brought to K.R. Hospital in Mysuru, where facilities for their isolation and treatment are in place. Health officials have also identified two persons, who had returned to Mysuru after a visit to China last month. "But, they are showing no symptoms of the virus. But, we will continue to keep a watch on them," said Dr. Venkatesh.

Focus only on people having symptoms

Mysuru District Vector-borne Diseases Control Officer S. Chidambara, however, sought to clarify that the authorities are focusing only on persons showing the symptoms and had returned from Wuhan in China, where the infection is believed to have originated. "Only persons who visited China during December 2019 and January 2020 and showing symptoms will be isolated. For, there are other respiratory viruses," he said.

Student stable

Meanwhile, a 23-year-old girl, pursuing medical studies in a college in China, has returned to Mandya following the outbreak. "She was not infected, thoroughly screened and is stable," H.P. Manche Gowda, District Health Officer said. "The girl will be under constant monitoring," he added.

People warned against hiring white board vehicles

Mysuru, Feb. 5- Transport Department, in a statement, has said that it has come to the Department's notice that people are hiring light motor vehicles having white board as a contract carriage from private owners under the jurisdiction of District Regional Transport officer.

There is no provision in law to use white Board private vehicles as a contract carriage and as such, white board vehicles will be seized if found to be hired without valid permit, during regular vehicle checking. Public is advised to use only vehicles having yellow board as contract carriage and not white board vehicles, according to a press release.

'Anarghya Kala Poshaka' awards conferred

Chartered Accountant T.R. Harish and Industrialist K.V. Murthy, who were conferred with 'Anarghya Kala Poshaka' awards, are seen with Prof. Bhashyam Swamiji, Bharatanatyam exponents Dr. Kripa Phadke, Dr. Vasundhara Doreswamy, Vidwan G.S. Ramanujan and others.

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (SPN&DM)- Industrialist K.V. Murthy and Chartered Accountant T.R. Harish were conferred 'Anarghya Kala Poshaka' for their contribution to music, at the 'Kalabhivardhana-2020' programme organised by the city's Kala Sandesha Prathishtana at Sri Nadabrahma Sangeetha Sabha on JLB Road here on Monday.

Speaking after conferring the award, Prof. Bhashyam Swamiji, Founder of Sri Yoganarasimhaswamy Temple in Vijayanagar, opined that art is not just a form of entertainment but a moral and cultural guide to the younger generation.

Noting that Art plays a crucial role in the mental development of younger generation, he said that Music and Dance have the power to earn the grace of Gods.

Pointing out Mysuru is a city of Scholars, Prof. Bhashyam Swamiji recalled the role of the erstwhile Mysore Maharajas in promotion of art and culture.

Stating that many Associations and organisations have continued the legacy of Maharajas, he said that such programmes will help in promotion of arts.

Reminiscing the achievements of scholar Dr. Bannanje Govindacharya, the Swamiji observed that the veteran scholar's guidance was much needed for the younger generation.

Complimenting K.V. Murthy and T.R. Harish for patronising art and culture, he said that the two are responsible for the organisation of many music and dance concerts in the city.

He lauded the Prathishtana for honouring the two art patrons.

Mentioning the role of well-known danseuse Dr. Vasundhara Doraswamy in conducting Musical and Dance Concerts in the city for years, he said that the danseuse is playing a key role in engaging the youth for carrying forward the rich legacy of art and culture.

Dr. Vasundhara Doreswamy, Dr. Kripa Phadke, Dr. D. Umapathi, K. Sandesh Bhargav, Manu Guruswamy, Radhika Sandesh and others were present.

Later, Vidwan H.K. Narasimhamurthy, along with his son H.N. Bhaskar and granddaughter Pruthvi Bhaskar, gave a violin concert. They were accompanied by Vidwans G.S. Ramanujam and V.S. Ramesh.

Srikanteshwaraswamy Jathra in N'gud on Apr.4

Mysuru, Feb. 5- With the famous Sri Srikanteshwaraswamy Jathra scheduled to take place at the Temple town Nanjangud, popularly known as 'Dakshina Kashi,' on Apr.4, Deputy Commissioner Abhiram G. Sankar held a preparatory meeting at his office here yesterday. Addressing the meeting, Sankar said that the annual Jathra will take place on Apr.4.

In this backdrop, the authorities must test the Ratha (Chariot) by pulling it with ropes a couple of days ahead of the Jathra.

Stressing on the need for maintaining hygiene and cleanliness during the Jathra, the DC directed the authorities to place waste bins at select points around the Jathra route and other areas.

Giving directions for ensuring supply of pure drinking water and construction of make-shift toilets during the Jathra, he said that priority must be given for building of devotee facility sheds and installation of colourful lights around the Temple.

Abhiram G. Sankar asked the Police to take appropriate security measures and to ensure proper vehicle parking facility during the Jathra. Referring to health measures, the DC directed the Health Department officials to take appropriate measures for preventing any outbreak of epidemics and to set up emergency Health Centres. The officials were also asked to keep ambulances attached with Medical staff for meeting emergencies.

He asked KSRTC officials to deploy a heavy-duty crane during the Rathotsava.

MLAs B. Harshavardhan, H.P. Manjunath and M. Ashwin Kumar, SP C.B. Ryshyanth and Additional SP P.V.Sneha were present.

Padma Shri awardees felicitated

Mysuru, Feb. 5- City's *Sudharma* Sanskrit daily editor-couple K.V. Sampath Kumar and his wife Vidu. Jayalakshmi, who were recently conferred *Padma Shri* award by the Centre marking Republic Day celebrations, were felicitated by the Sanskrit Department of Maharani's Science College for Women here recently.

Speaking on the occasion, Sanskrit Department Head D. Sheela Kumari said that 'Sudharma' being the only Sanskrit daily in the world, is a pride of Mysuru.

Pointing out that the Daily which saw its first publication on July 15, 1970 is now celebrating its Golden Jubilee, she said that the paper has started e-paper facility since 2008.

Noting that the Daily has readers across the globe, Sheela Kumari said that it is really surprising to note that the annual subscription rate of the newspaper was just Rs.500. She further said that the newspaper is one more feather in the cap of Mysuru, the cultural capital of the State.

Speaking after receiving felicitation, Jayalakshmi credited Scholars Dr. H.V. Nagarajarao and Dr. T.V. Sathyanarayana for the success of the newspaper.

Exhorting the students to learn Sanskrit, she appealed everyone to attend the **two-day Golden Jubilee celebrations of 'Sudharma' to take place at Nada Mantapa in Sri Ganapathy Sachchidananda Ashrama on Ooty Road on Feb.29 and Mar.1.**

The College Acting-Principal Dr. Dayanand, faculty, staff and students were present.

Calendar Muddle: Uttanahalli Temple Jathra date lands in confusion

Likely to be held on Feb.9

Mysuru, Feb. 5 (MTY&US)- A wrong depiction of date of the popular Jathra Mahotsava at the Jwalamukhi Tripurasundariamma Temple in Uttanahalli has put people under confusion.

Pramoda Devi Wadiyar of the erstwhile royal family has opined that since 1868 as per the Mysore Palace almanac, the Vardhanti Mahotsava of the presiding deity at the said temple was being held on the third Sunday of *Magha Masa* every year. Hence, she has contended that it should be aptly held on Feb.9 and not on Feb.16 as per the wrong depiction in the calendar.

The date confusion prompted a delegation of local villagers to meet Pramoda Devi Wadiyar on Monday. Chamundi Hill Temple Chief Priest N. Shashishekara Dixit, Muzrai Tahsildar Yatiraj and Palace Purohits also participated in the discussion.

Pramoda Devi Wadiyar opined that Feb.9 is the correct day for the event and wondered how it has been wrongly printed in calendars. However, she suggested the local villagers to discuss and arrive at a final date for the Jathra.

As the said Temple comes under Muzrai Department, the villagers are waiting for the decision of the DC for the final date for the Jathra.

Tandavapura Jathra is supposed to be earlier to Uttanahalli Jathra. The date of the former is Feb.11 which now raises a new doubt if it will happen on that day.

WORD OF THE DAY

Sublimate

Pronunciation: SUB-luh-mayt.
Meaning: To pass or cause to pass directly from the solid to the vapour state; to divert the expression of (an instinctual desire or impulse) from its unacceptable form to one that is considered more socially or culturally acceptable.

Origin: To sublimate is to change the form, but not the essence. Physically speaking, it means to transform solid to vapour; psychologically, it means changing the outlet, or means, of expression from something base and inappropriate to something more positive or acceptable. The word sublimate comes from the Latin verb sublimare, which means "to lift up" or "to raise" and which is also the ancestor of our sublime. Sublimate itself once meant "to elevate to a place of dignity or honour" or "to give a more elevated character to," but these meanings are now obsolete.

Example: "These ice crystals are temporary from day to day. They develop at night when the air is at its coldest but melt or sublimate away during the day in warmer air or sunlight." — Robert Dryja

THE ODD WORD

Sabaton

Foot-covering as part of suit of armour.

PHRASE OF THE DAY

Ships passing in the night

Meaning: Commonly said about two people who meet for a short time, share a few words, only to separate and continue on their way, never to see each other again.

Origin: The ocean is a big place, so what are the odds of two ships sailing directly past each other? If it does occur, though, and it happens to be at night, the ships may shine a light on the other in order to acknowledge the other's presence. The shining of the light can be seen as a greeting, as if the ships are talking to one another, that is, until they pass and disappear into the darkness of the night, never to see the other again.

Well, who knows, they might cross paths again at some point. Anyways, this sort of ship passing situation, at some point, began to be applied to people who meet for the first time, only to part ways shortly after, disappearing into the vastness of the earth. Such people are like two ships passing at night. The idiom at least over 150 years old. It is written in Tales of a Wayside Inn, by Henry Wadsworth Longfellow in 1863, where it reads: "Ships that pass in the night, and speak each other in passing, Only a signal shown and a distant voice in the darkness; So on the ocean of life, we pass and speak one another, Only a look and a voice, then darkness again and a silence."

QUOTE BOX

Beware of little expenses. A small leak will sink a great ship.

— Benjamin Franklin

RIDDLE THIS

What disappears as soon as you say its name?

Answer: Silence.

SUDOKU

		4	9		6	7		
5								2
	3	1				4	5	
			1		9			
		6				8		
			2		4			
	7	9				1	4	
1								8
		8	7		1	6		

Answer to previous puzzle

5	1	8	7	4	9	3	6	2
3	7	2	6	5	8	1	9	4
6	4	9	1	3	2	5	8	7
7	9	3	5	1	6	4	2	8
8	5	6	9	2	4	7	1	3
4	2	1	3	8	7	9	5	6
9	8	4	2	7	1	6	3	5
2	6	5	4	9	3	8	7	1
1	3	7	8	6	5	2	4	9

Sudoku is a number-placing puzzle based on a 9x9 grid with several given numbers. The object is to place the numbers 1 to 9 in the empty squares so that each row, each column and each 3x3 box contains the same number only once. The difficulty level of the Concept is Sudoku increases from Monday to Sunday.

CROSS WORD

ACROSS:

1 Small drop of liquid, bubble
5 Untidy confusion
9 Cooling device
12 Hard drive interface
13 Basra's country
14 Fruit drink
15 Famous school
16 Hint; aspersion
18 Bundle of hay or straw
20 Food regimen
21 ____ and void?
24 Solder together?
27 Excluded from admission or right
31 Young family member
32 Blunders or strays
33 The female reproductive cells of mammals
34 Is not, slang
35 Indonesia's earlier name
36 String of beads
38 Passageway
41 Old Spanish coin; genuine
42 Tree trunk
44 Biblical outcast
48 Giving power to make possible
52 San ___ : Italian city?
53 Triumphed, was victorious
54 Ancient Peruvian
55 Forbiddingly stern
56 Dutch commune
57 Long fishes
58 Shrill cry of dog

DOWN

1 Bombay Suburban Electric Supply, in short?
2 Thin
3 Oklahoma Indian
4 Long curved fruits with soft flesh and yellow skin
5 1002 in Roman numerals
6 Sea-eagle variant
7 Fine powder of crushed rock?
8 A firework
9 Free musical composition
10 __ two and two and get four?
11 "New", as a prefix
17 Ever, poetically curtailed
19 Make the ___ fly : cause disturbance or dissension?
22 Scientology founder, Hubbard (1,3)
23 Crowbar
25 Bluish-white metal
26 Italian city famous for its ancient Roman ruins
27 Financial inst. __ Bank
28 Able was I, ___ __ saw Elba? (3,1)
29 Famous city in Australia
30 Freshwater fish - "cade" anagram ?
34 Hypersensitivity to a specific substance
37 Flyer from Seoul
39 High tennis shot
40 Little Eleanor
43 One in Bonn
45 'Father' in French
46 German name - "Mile" anagram?
47 Play boisterously
48 Ram's mate
49 Incline the head
50 Natl. Chem. Lab
51 Popular household fuel

MONDAY'S ANSWER

F	S	C	■	I	C	B	M	■	S	A	I	F
L	I	E	■	S	E	R	A	■	C	H	O	U
A	N	D	E	R	S	E	N	■	R	A	N	G
T	H	E	T	A	■	D	O	R	A	■	■	■
■	■	■	A	E	S	■	J	A	P	A	R	A
T	B	A	■	L	U	V	■	A	P	R	O	N
A	I	D	A	■	M	I	D	■	Y	A	M	S
C	R	A	B	S	■	S	U	E	■	L	E	I
T	O	R	S	O	S	■	B	R	O	■	■	■
■	■	■	C	H	I	C	■	O	R	A	L	S
M	O	N	O	■	G	O	O	D	T	U	R	N
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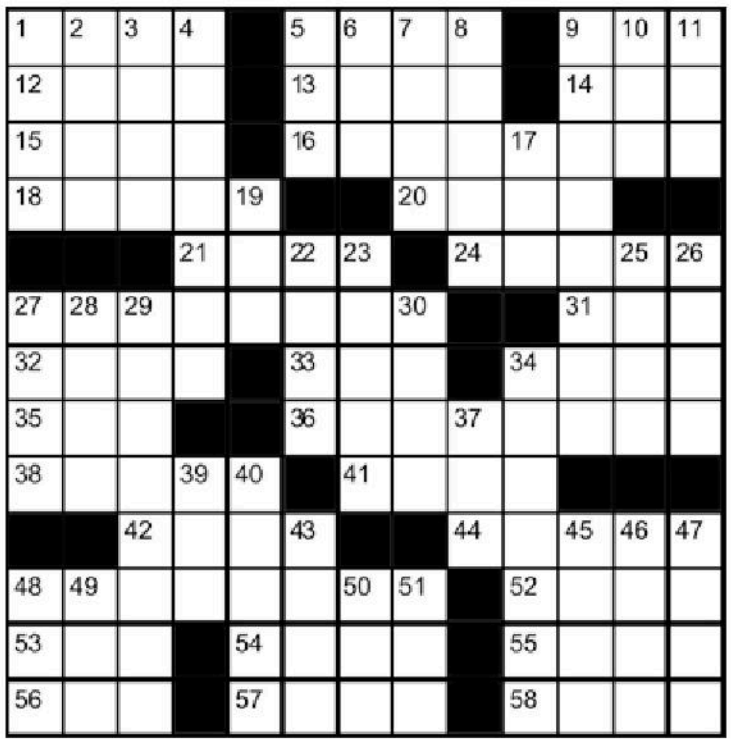

CRYPTOQUIP

The Cryptoquip is a substitution cipher in which one letter stands for another. If you think that X equals O, it will equal O throughout the puzzle. Single letters, short words and words using an apostrophe give you clues to locating vowels. Solution is by trial and error.

LATHURULAM TR D SDKKHX DBDTPRK KAX SXZTKOAJXPK

UG UEI TPKXHHTBXPOX SM JXDPR UG HDPBEDBX.

TODAY'S CLUE: A EQUALS H

Yesterday's Cryptoquip: You cannot depend on your eyes when your imagination is out of focus.

[NOTE: The crossword of Monday was inadvertently published in yesterday's SOM. The correct crossword is published today. The error is regretted. —Ed]

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Sri Bharatha Baahubali	Saraswathi	2541451	4 Shows
Avane Srimannarayana	Gayathri	2443568	4 Shows
	Thibbadevi	2452958	4 Shows
HINDI			
Jawaani Jaaneman	Balaji Deluxe	2497199	4 Shows
	Sri Nagaraj	2520490	4 Shows
Manchali Padosan	Uma	2520009	4 Shows
ENGLISH			
Bad Boys for Life	Rajkamal	2423554	4 Shows
TELUGU			
Aswathama	Lido	2420885	4 Shows
Ala Vaikunthapurramuloo	Padma	2521923	4 Shows
TAMIL			
Dagaalty	Sterling	2481170	4 Shows
	Prabha	2423569	4 Shows
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Street Dancer (3D-H)	(S-1)	10.20 am, 1.15 pm
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Bad Boys for Life (E)	(S-1)	7.10 pm
	(S-4)	10.35 am, 10 pm
Aswathama (Te)	(S-1)	9.55 pm
Jawaani Jaaneman (H)	(S-2)	10.45 am, 7.10 pm, 9.50 pm
Naadodigal-2 (Ta)	(S-2)	1.15 pm
Dagaalty (Ta)	(S-2)	4.15 pm
Kaanadante Maayavadanu (K)	(S-3)	10.50 am
Dinga (K)	(S-3)	1.30 pm
Jojo Rabbit (E)	(S-3)	4 pm, 9.55 pm
Avane Srimannarayana (K)	(S-3)	6.30 pm
Love Mocktail (K)	(S-4)	1.10 pm
1917 (E)	(S-4)	4.15 pm
Ala Vaikunthapurramuloo (Te)	(S-4)	6.55 pm

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Jawaani Jaaneman (H)	(S-2)	10.25 am, 4.10 pm
	(S-4)	12.15 pm, 9.55 pm
Street Dancer (3D-H)	(S-1)	6.45 pm
Ala Vaikunthapurramuloo (Te)	(S-2)	9.30 pm
Tanhaji: Unsung Warrior (3D-H)	(S-1)	3.50 pm
Bad Boys for Life (E)	(S-3)	10.15 am, 4 pm, 9.40 pm
Jojo Rabbit (E)	(S-4)	9.50 am, 5.08 pm
Dagaalty (Ta)	(S-1)	1.10 pm
Naadodigal-2 (Ta)	(S-1)	9.50 pm
Namo (K)	(S-3)	1.00 pm
Dinga (K)	(S-4)	7.35 pm
Nigarva (K)	(S-1)	9.55 am
Love Mocktail (K)	(S-2)	1.00 pm
Ramana Savari (K)	(S-4)	2.53 pm
Kaanadante Maayavadanu (K)	(S-2)	6.50 pm
Nagashaurya's Aswathama (Te)	(S-3)	6.45 pm

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Jojo Rabbit (E)	9.30 am, 1.35 pm, 7.30 pm
Bad Boys for Life (E)	10.15 am, 4.45 pm, 10 pm
Tanhaji: Unsung Warrior (H)	10.20 am, 6.45 pm
Jawaani Jaaneman (H)	10.40 am, 4.05 pm, 7.20 pm, 9.40 pm
Wild Karnataka (E)	12.00 noon
Aswathama (Te)	1.15 pm
Ala Vaikunthapurramuloo (Te)	1.20 pm
Street Dancer 3 (H-3D)	4.10 pm, 10.00 pm
Kaanadante Maayavadanu (K)	4.15 pm
Dinga (K)	7.00 pm
Love Mocktail (K)	9.30 pm

NOTE: Movie timings published here are subject to sudden change by the theatre managements. The films are also liable to be changed in multiplexes if there are no minimum audience of 15 to the film announced here.

ATI and UoM tie up to launch Massive Open Online Courses

Mysuru, Feb.5 (DM)- The University of Mysore (UoM) and the Administrative Training Institute (ATI), Mysuru, signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to conduct a Diploma and Certificate Courses through a Massive Open Online Courses (MOOCs).

The meeting was chaired by Kapil Mohan, IAS, Director General, ATI and Prof. G. Hemantha Kumar, Vice-Chancellor, UoM, at Syndicate Hall recently.

These online courses aim at enhancing the competencies of newly-recruited officers and in-service officials working in the Government through customised and well-designed modules relating to their job performance.

To start with five important courses on Professional Diploma in Public Administration and five other certificate courses on Disaster Management, Social Justice and Equality, Public Private Partnerships, e-Governance and Data Analytics and Sustainable Development Goals have been developed in collaboration with UoM. Heads of the different centres established at ATI, Mysuru have made presentations on respective courses and module plans for implementation of MOOC. Officers attending foundation courses and other regular courses at ATI, Mysuru and DTIs will be encouraged to enrol in these courses and qualify to receive certificate after passing through online examination and assignments.

Dr. B.R. Mamatha, IAS, Joint Director General, ATI, Prof. R. Shivappa, Registrar, University of Mysore, Prof. K.M. Mahadevan, Registrar (Evaluation), Yashasvini, Deputy Director, ATI, Heads of the Centres from ATI and UoM were present in the meeting, according to a press release from Dr. M. Dileep Kumar, Communication and IT officer, Centre for Disaster Management, ATI, Mysuru.

CME on 'Leprosy' on Feb. 10

Mysuru, Feb. 5- The Department of Community Medicine, Mysore Medical College and Research Institute (MMC&RI), Mysuru, in collaboration with Central Leprosy Teaching and Research Institute, Chengalpattu and District Leprosy Centre, Mysuru, will be holding a Continuing Medical Education (CME) on 'Working for a world without leprosy' at the Platinum Jubilee auditorium in J.K. Grounds on Feb. 10 at 10 am.

Dr. R. Venkatesh, District Health Officer, Mysuru, will be the chief guest.

Dr. C.P. Nanjaraj, Dean and Director, MMC&RI, Mysuru, Dr. K.R. Dakshayini, Principal, MMC&RI, Mysuru and Dr. Nanjunda Swamy, Superintendent, K.R. Hospital, Mysuru, will be the guests of honour.

Dr. Mudassir Azeez Khan, Professor and Head, Department of Community Medicine, MMC&RI, Mysuru, will preside. For details, contact Mob: 96292-95937 or 99164-86408.

EVENTS TODAY (FEB. 5)

Nisarga Trust - Organic Shop: Inauguration of new shop and Horse Gram Food Fest, former MP R. Dhruvanarayan inaugurates, lecture 'Importance and Medicinal Value of Horse Gram' by Dr. K.V. Venkatakrishna (Professor and Head, PG Centre, Department of Swasthavritta, Government Ayurveda Medical College, Mysuru), Corporator G. Roopa Yogeesh chief guest, #330, Sheelamarga, 2nd Stage, 13th Cross, behind JSS Public School, Siddharthanagar, **4 pm.**

Sri Chikkalingeshwara Swamy Temple, Mandi Mohalla: Sri Chikkalingeshwara Swamy's 83rd Aradhana Mahotsava, Vishnu Sahasranama Parayana and Bhajans, **5.30 pm;** Discourse on 'Guruvina Mele Bhaktana Nambike' by Swami Shivakantanandaji of Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama, Temple premises, **6.30 pm to 8 pm.**

Sri Tyagaraja Sangeetha Sabha Charitable Trust: 33rd anniversary celebrations, Vocal Concert by Mahati, accompanied by Vid. C.S. Tyagaraju on violin and Shubhang on mridanga and Prasanna Kumar on ghata, **6 pm;** Flute Recital by Achyuta and vocal by Aruna, Sri Rama Mandira, Jayanagar, **7.15 pm to 8.30 pm.**

Desiranga Samskrutika Samsthe, Mysuru and Kannada & Culture Department: Desiranga-2020, Theatre and Dance Festival, presentation of 'Jalagaara' and 'Janapada Jenkara,' Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Trineshwaraswamy Temple, Mysore Palace premises: Sri Trineshwaraswamy Brahmotsava, Beritaadana, Balipradhana Vrishabha Vaahanotsava, Temple premises, **7 pm.**

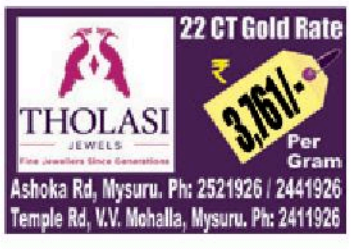
EVENTS TOMORROW (FEB. 6)

Sri Shivadatta Sai Mandir: Inauguration of newly-constructed Mandir by Yaduveer Wadiyar, KRS Road, **11.10 am.**

Sri Chikkalingeshwara Swamy Temple, Mandi Mohalla: Sri Chikkalingeshwara Swamy's 83rd Aradhana Mahotsava, Vishnu Sahasranama Parayana and Bhajans, **5.30 pm;** Discourse on 'Dattatreya Sandesha' by Swami Dattapadanandaji of Chinmaya Mission, Temple premises, **6.30 pm.**

Sri Ramakrishna Ashrama: Swami Jnanayoganandaji speaks on 'Sri Durga Saptashati,' Ashrama premises, **6 pm.**

Desiranga Samskrutika Samsthe, Mysuru and Kannada & Culture Department: Desiranga-2020, retd. Dy. Director of Kannada and Culture Dept. M.G. Sadanandaiah delivers valedictory address, Rangayana Joint Director V.N. Mallikarjunaswamy distributes certificates, Maharani's Arts College Professor Dr. S. Raghavendra guest; Dollu Kunita, Kamsale, Puja Kunita, Kolata and Maari Kunita, Mini Theatre, Kalamandira premises, **6.30 pm.**



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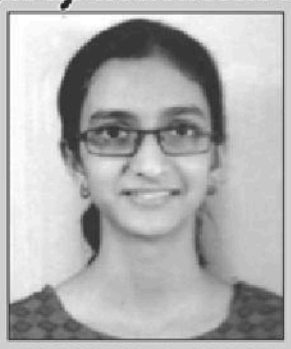
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